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In re Application of: Avi Ashkenazi et al. Serial No.: Not yet obtained Filed: Herewith For: <i>COMPOUNDS, COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR THE TREATMENT OF DISEASES CHARACTERIZED BY A-33 RELATED ANTIGENS</i>	Group Art Unit: Unknown Examiner: Not yet assigned Confirmation No.: Not yet obtained Customer No.: 09157
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Prior to substantive examination of the above referenced patent application, please amend the specification as shown in the Amendments to the Specification which begins on page 2 and the claims as shown in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 3 of this Amendment.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including extension fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-0630.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 4 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this Amendment.